CHAPTER NO. 114

HOUSE BILL NO. 130

By Representatives Odom, Sherry Jones, Larry Turner, Briley, West, Armstrong

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 138

By Senators Cooper, Jackson

AN ACT to amend Public Chapter 990 of the Public Acts of 2000, relative to the choice of medical treatment for certain injuries.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Public Chapter 990 of the Public Acts of 2000 is amended in Section 5 by deleting the language "December 31, 2001," and by substituting instead the language "July 1, 2003,".

SECTION 2. Section 2 of Public Chapter 990 of the Public Acts of 2000 is amended by deleting the language "September 1, 2001, on the effect the implementation of this act has had on the workers' compensation pool" and by substituting instead the language "December 15, 2002, on the effect the implementation of this act has had on the workers' compensation plan for state employees".

SECTION 3. Section 4 of Public Chapter 990 of the Public Acts of 2000 is amended by deleting the language "September 1, 2002, on the effect the implementation of this act has had on the workers' compensation pool" and by substituting instead the language "December 15, 2002, on the effect the implementation of this act has had on the workers' compensation system".

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming law, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: April 9, 2001

JOHN S. WILDER SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

GOVERNOR

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APPROVED this 18th day of April 2001